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Callison Hall may be rebuilt as a student coffeehouse

KRISTEN HUTMACHER
Staff Writer

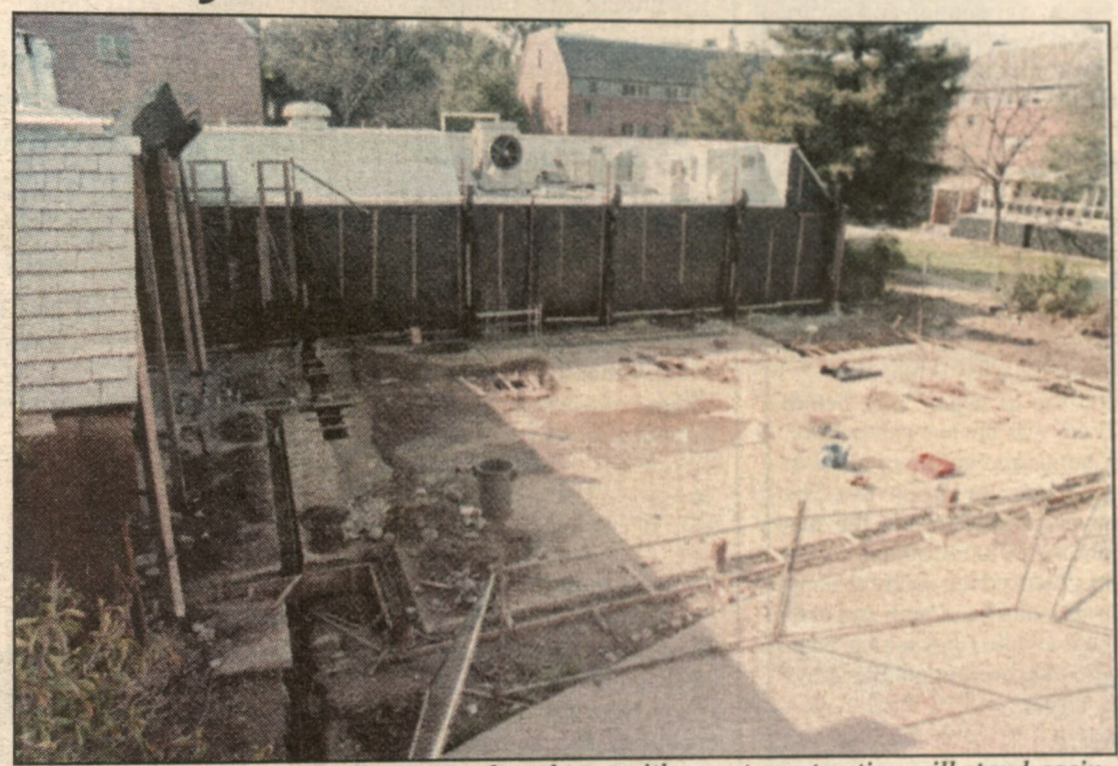
Signs and construction indicate that Callison Hall is being rebuilt. Callison Hall used to be the other side of Elbert Covell Dining Hall, until it burnt down in November 1995.

The foundation has been there, though fenced off, ever since the final demolition was finished.

Joe Kirim, director of the Physical Plant, explained that the idea was tossed around for a while about putting a new dining facility/student center where the Art and Geology departments are now.

There are rumors, however unofficial, about a student center being put where the Quonset Huts stand are. However, it was decided that Callison Hall will return to its old spot.

Construction began in early January, although some preliminary work was going on in late December.



The area where Callison Hall once stood, and now with recent construction will stand again.

A company named Advantage Construction holds the contract for the building.

Kirim said "because a decision hasn't been reached as to what the furniture and

such will be inside, there isn't a final price."

However, he did say that the price for construction of the building itself is roughly \$500,000.

According to Jim Falcone,

associate Dean of Students, and Chuck Douros, director of Dining Services, Callison is being fashioned to be like a coffeehouse.

There will be an area set up for students to come in

and relax, to do homework or simply visit with friends.

There are also 48 computer ports being put in, so laptops can be brought in and hooked up to the network.

"We're still in the idea stage," Douros said. A 'task team' is in the works to decide what else will be in Callison and what the setup will be.

The plan now is for a coffeehouse as well as a facility which will serve as a multi-functional hall to be used for dances and conferences, etc.

It will also be used to accomodate the run-off of students from Elbert Covell. Raymond Great Hall will no longer be used for students during meal times.

Instead it will be used solely for alumni and student events. Students will then be able to enter either into Elbert, or into Callison, whose doors will be directly across from Carter House.

Students living in John and Jessie Ballantyne Halls

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'Powercat' a source of debate

CAROL WHITE
Staff Writer

The is an ongoing discussion on the UOP campus on whether or not the school mascot, Tommy the Tiger, should have been replaced with the new 'Powercat'.

The athletic department expressed the need for a new, stronger representation for the university in regard to UOP's mascot.

The expertise of Michael Osborne and Associates in San Francisco was used in

the development of what was adopted: 'Powercat'.

On the committee deciding the fate of Tommy Tiger were many representatives from various parts of the school.

This included the President, the Chair of the Board of Regents, Vice-Presidents, Admissions, coaches, the ASUOP

President, and some athletes. This committee determined what the ultimate logo would be. Consequently, the

Carrie Fox, ASUOP Public Relations officer, explained, "I think more student opinions should have been included in this decision."

new mascot for UOP was named after the logo.

When asked what he thought about the

change, Jamie Passama, a junior communication major, pointed out that, "I think the

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Weekend WEATHER

Today	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Mostly Cloudy Hi: 65 Low: 43	Sunny Hi: 64 Low: 44	Partly Cloudy Hi: 62 Low: 44	Showers Hi: 61 Low: 44

Today in History
February 18, 1930
The planet Pluto is discovered by American astronomer Clyde W. Tombaugh.

College Headlines

Siblings clash in Penn State's game vs. Purdue

Kicked shins, pulled pigtails, tattling and unquestioned love and loyalty are hallmarks of growing up in a brother-sister relationship.

And in a basketball-oriented family, competition and rivalry can be added to that list. Ask Michael Peck. He'll tell you. Peck is in his first year as an assistant coach for the No. 15 Penn State women's basketball team. His sister, Carolyn, is the head coach for the No. 2 Purdue women's hoops team. At 8 p.m. Friday at The Bryce Jordan Center, the siblings will try to out-strategize one another when their respective teams clash in a game with huge implications in the Big Ten — and at future Peck family gatherings. Presently, Carolyn holds a 2-0 advantage in head-to-head meetings with her brother. The first was a 71-61 Purdue victory over Michael's Florida squad in the 1998 Big Ten-SEC challenge. The most recent, a 53-48 Boilermaker win over the Lady Lions Jan. 5 at Purdue's Mackey Arena.

However, competition between the two began long before they became NCAA coaches. "There was always competition between us," Michael said. Card games and games of horse in the Peck family driveway weren't always for simple fun. The competitive nature of the siblings eventually rose to the surface, especially in games of one-on-one. And for quite a while, Michael spot in the pecking order influenced his ability to hang with the skills of his sister, who is six years his senior, and at 6-foot-4, was six inches taller for quite awhile. "For a long time, she always beat me," he said. Then, little brother got big. Now 6-foot-7, Michael said the tables turned and he finally won some games. "When I got tall enough to dunk the ball," he said.

X-roommate charged with helping agent pay Florida

University police filed a sworn complaint Wednesday against the ex-roommate of former UF football players Tim Beauchamp and Dock Pollard and accused him of acting as a "runner" between the players and a Louisiana agent trying to recruit them.

Police are asking the State Attorney's Office to charge Michael Joseph McDonald, 23, with one felony count of unlicensed athletic agent activity.

According to the report, McDonald was distributing money from the agent to the players. McDonald is not a UF student, but Alachua County criminal records show he was a Santa Fe Community College student as late as Spring 1998.

The sworn complaint stemmed from a two-month UPD investigation. If convicted, McDonald faces up to five years in prison and up to a \$5,000 fine. Beauchamp and Pollard were suspended for the Jan. 2 Orange Bowl after the University Athletic Association learned the two had received money from an agent. The UAA turned over the information to UF's General Counsel Office, which in turn gave it to UPD.

The report also stated the case remains open and charges could be filed against other parties at a later date. A source close to Beauchamp said one of the parties who might be targeted as the source of the money is New Orleans-based attorney Sean Alfortish.

The Gators received no disciplinary action from the NCAA after the Collins incident. On Wednesday, UF coach Steve Spurrier said he would continue to try to educate his players about dealing with agents. "This is an ongoing police investigation, so there isn't a lot we can say," Spurrier said.

Public Safety Report

February 4 - 11

PREPARED BY JERRY L. HOUSTON

Vandalism

Where

Townhouse Apt. Complex

When

Feb. 8

What

Vehicle tires slashed

Burglary

Where

Lot#7 (behind fraternities)

When

Feb 6-7

What

Stereo and CD player
Stereo and personal items
Car stereo and walkman

Chapel Lane

Feb 7

Chapel Lane

Feb 7-8

Miscellaneous

Where

Lot #21 (Sorority Circle)

When

Feb 8

What

Dome light on & car door open of parked vehicle

Did you know?

During this period of time, Public Safety officers provided 105 hours of foot patrol, found 20 open windows/doors, provided 3 escorts, assisted 6 stranded motorists and contacted 32 suspicious persons.

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The committee behind Pacific's celebration

Black History month celebrated with numerous events at Pacific.

ALEX ZAMANSKY
News Editor

The committee responsible for the activities surrounding Pacific's Black History Month has been more successful than ever, according to Assistant Provost Dr. Heather Mayne.

The committee, which was formed last spring, has been working for the past several months on bringing African American recognition to Pacific.

"It's out of the interest of

the students and the faculty that we are observing this period of time," stated Professor of Black Studies Mamie Darlington. The

The committee has been working for the past several months on bringing African American recognition to Pacific.

committee is composed of Assistant Provost Dr. Heather Mayne; Dr. Darlington; Dr. Keith Hilton; Stephan Coggs; Lisa Rhone; as well as executive members of the African American Student Union.

Mayne, as well as Crystal Shields, president of the African American Student Union, have been "pivotal in getting the word out for the activities the committee

has been involved in this past month," said Darlington. The highlight of the commemoration occurred yesterday when reknowned poet and essayist Nikki Giovanni spoke in the Faye Spanos Concert Hall.

"Interestingly enough," commented Mayne, "Students who took Mentor I last semester read a poem by Ms. Giovanni." The committee has completed its work for this year's commemoration.

Among Giovanni speaking yesterday, other parts of the program for the month included Dr. Hilton speaking last Tuesday at the World Forum and McGeorge School of Law holding a minority recruit-



Dr. Keith Hilton at the Tuesday World Forum in Bechtel.

ment session.

"We wanted to enliven the intellectual and cultural levels of all the students' lives here at Pacific," said Mayne. "I think we did."

Among reaching out to

the students and faculty here at Pacific, the committee reached out and invited alumni and the Stockton community to attend the various events put on by the committee.

From the Pacifcan Archives 1958

Sammy Davis, Jr. honors COP



A real treat was missed by all those Pacific students that failed to come to the Rally on Friday evening. It started out as most rallies do — Dave Towell, Tommy Tiger, Dave Towell, a skit, Dave Towell, school songs and yells, and Dave Towell. Then Dave really began to stall and stall and stall. After a considerable amount of stalling, our main performer for the evening arrived. The curtain came down and when it came up again, there stood Sammy

Davis, Jr. wearing a black leather jacket, motorcycle boots, and a bright orange and black cap. He grabbed the microphone and began his famous "That Ole Black Magic." He brought the house down, and it wasn't just the girls. Sammy did some fabulous impersonations of Jimmy Stewart, James Cagney, Bing Crosby, and Jerry Lewis. The applause was so great that the star of "Porgy and Bess" had to return to the stage several times.

That wasn't the last of Sammy. He was on the bench Saturday evening to see our Tigers battle victoriously, the Arizona Sun Devils. At the half-time he was introduced to the spectators. Sammy was invited to help lead the Pacific rooters in the clap yell which turned out to be one of the most exciting yells of the evening. Sammy was terrific, the Tigers were terrific, the spirit was terrific. It was a ter-r-rific weekend.

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ASUOP elects two new Senators

Barriere subject of controversy

DOUG HINKLE
Asst. News Editor

Three new senators along with the attorney general have been confirmed at ASUOP in these past few weeks.

Ken Doolittle, who helped chair the recent student-forum over the technology fee increase at Grace two Sundays ago, has been confirmed as Senator for RHA, replacing Maggie Vineyard, who had to step

down due to a time commitment. Yelena Favranskaya is the new Senator at Large for Multi-Cultural Affairs taking the place of Jon Baggett who resigned last December.

Jorge Barriere, who two weeks ago, resigned as Communications Affairs Commissioner is now the Senator for Conservatory, filling the seat left vacant by Molly Campbell's departure last December.

Barriere in a speech before the Senate, asked them to "judge me by my qualifications, not by my opinion of the current performance."

At the Senate meeting in which Barriere was confirmed, he asked to speak to the Senate in order to address some issues that had been brought up at the Senate Selection Committee.

The committee was unable to make a decision on whether or not to recommend Barriere for Senate post.

The chair of the committee, Omar Tinnocco, explained that he didn't feel the group could make an unbiased decision. They felt that Barriere's connections to the recent "ASUOP revo-

lution" would prevent those within ASUOP from making an objective decision.

In Barriere's resume he has listed Jon Baggett and Tim Burrige as references. These two students have been at the forefront of this "revolution."

When asked why he hadn't listed any faculty members for his references, who might have been less controversial than those he named, Barriere replied that he has

"Judge me by my qualifications, not by my opinion of the current performance."

**— Jorge Barriere
Conservatory
Senator**

indeed asked for a faculty member's reference but the faculty member declined.

One faculty member told Barriere that because this was a student-government, that it should be students who give the references.

Barriere told the Senate that these students were his friends, the people who knew him best and as a result they could serve as the best possible reference for the Senate if they had questions regarding Barriere's qualifications.

ASUOP meets every Tuesday night at 7p.m. in the Conference Room of the McCaffrey Center.

The meeting is open to all students who would like to listen in on events and topics being discussed by the officers and senators of their respective schools.

Have a good idea for a news story? Would you like to see a department covered or investigated? Call The Pacifican at 946-2114.

Lockyer chosen as speaker for commencement

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Attorney General Bill Lockyer has accepted an invitation to be the com-



Attorney General Bill Lockyer

mencement speaker for the McGeorge Class of 1999 at the graduation ceremony on Saturday, May 15, at Memorial Auditorium.

Lockyer was elected to serve as California's 30th Attorney General on November 3, 1998. He was sworn in on January 4.

The 57-year old Hayward resident served as California State Senate pro tem from 1994 to 1998. He was first elected to the Senate Assembly in 1973 and moved up to the Senate in 1982, representing a large section of the East Bay for 16 years. Lockyer was cho-

sen Legislator of the Year in 1996 by the Planning and Conservation League and received the same award the following year from the California Journal.

Lockyer decided to attend McGeorge in 1979 while a member of the Assembly. He took two courses in the Evening Division every semester for more than six years, graduating in 1986 when he was chairman of the State Judiciary Committee.

Lockyer, '86, will be the first McGeorge graduate to address new graduates at the annual ceremony.



A sign many students have walked by, driven by, and seen for months as Callison gets rebuilt.

Callison

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don't seem to be bothered very much by the construction.

Megan Pulley, a freshman who lives in John

Ballantyne, said the workers "don't usually start until later in the morning."

Noise evidently isn't causing a problem for students.

Construction of Callison Hall, according to Kirim, is

running on schedule and is to be completed sometime this April.

The new Callison Hall will provide yet another food service option for students on campus.

Powercat

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new tiger is better than the generic one we had before because it was the same as the one Auburn used."

Maria Saldaña and Kelly Lowry, sophomore softball players, agreed with Passama about the Powercat

being an asset to UOP.

"It gives us a more competitive image. Some students, though, have a mixed opinion on UOP's new look."

Carrie Fox, ASUOP Public Relations officer, explained, "I think more student opinions should have been included in this decision."

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EDITORIAL



Quote of the Week

"I have a dream."

- Dr. Martin Luther King

For student views on the Editorial topic, see Question of the Week on page 6

UOP, Dr. King and Black History Month

It is February and Black History Month or African History Month is in full swing, from the District of Columbia to the campus of the University of the Pacific. If you blinked in January or were returning to campus, some of you may have missed the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. on January 15. Our classes began on Jan. 19. But in some ways his legacy is still an excellent starting point for campus discussions about diversity and contributions of African Americans in higher education.

In some ways his legacy as an involved college student is also an excellent point to continue our own campus discussions about campus revolutions and active student participation. Dr. King was a student activist. Incidentally, 34 years ago almost to this day (February 21, 1965), another famous African American activist and college campus

favorite, Malcolm X, was also assassinated.

1999 could indeed continue to be the genesis of when the spirit of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. connects with UOP students and faculty of all ethnicities. It is certainly the last year during this century that the nation can attempt to accurately portray this giant of a man and spiritual icon.

For many African Americans, the greatness of Dr. King has already grown each year. Perhaps this is because some are drawn to his life as a doer, as well as a dreamer. Many believe that he kept his 'eye on the prize.'

Not every student will receive a Ph.D. in Systematic Theology from Boston University as he did. Or graduate from Morehouse College at the age of 19. But there are enough parallels in Dr. King's collegiate experience and that of many college students today.

King was an involved student from the day of his campus orientation through his last days at Morehouse. Today, many UOP students of all ethnicities don't participate in campus activities, losing invaluable leadership chances. This is mentioned for three reasons; 1) at his orientation, Martin King met Dr. Benjamin Mays, one of the nation's greatest educators, 2) like most freshpersons, young King wasn't sure what he would do career-wise and 3) today many organizations and prospective employers look at a student's campus involvements, as well as at one's grades.

He participated in extracurricular activities; the Glee Club, the Young Men's Christian Association, the NAACP, the Student-Faculty Discipline Committee. Today, many of Pacific's African American students, like Dr. King, are needed for our cam-

pus newspaper, radio stations, student government and other social and academic organizations. Communication and commitment cut two ways and go a long way.

King was a commuter student. He lived at home. Today, many of our students are commuter students and non-traditional. This trend has completely changed the face of American colleges and universities.

After Morehouse, he won a scholarship to Crozer Theological Seminary in Pennsylvania. While there, he enjoyed the social life in nearby Philadelphia, attending parties and making friends. Always the scholar, he read Henry David Thoreau, Karl Marx and Mahatma Gandhi.

He next attended Boston University. Like many students, he met a special friend, a talented and pretty young

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Desperate measures

EVA DUBUISSON
The Chronicle (Duke U.)

(U-WIRE) DURHAM, N.C. — The end is in sight. The Senate impeachment trial is drawing to a close, and hopefully the final vote will occur today or tomorrow. And we know what will happen in the end. I doubt the nation will even pause in its business to hear the verdict read, as we did for O. J. Simpson. The moment will pass, the senators will plunge right back into their partisan catfight and the rest of us will breathe a sigh of relief.

Finally, it's over. Finally, some respite from the painful humiliation of our country making a fool of herself on a grand scale. Finally, we can move on.

Not so fast. This fiasco will not pass on into our amnesiac national memory as an isolated disaster which temporarily shook American contentment. There have been a few times of massive change in American culture and identity: the Civil War, the Great Depression, Vietnam. And now, this impeachment and the collapse of all credibility and relevance of our national system of government. We are in the midst of a pivotal time which will determine the future of our nation and her traditions. And the end is still not visible.

I don't mean that it matters anymore what happens in the Senate trial. The verdict is pretty much foregone, and I doubt that anything new can be said by this set of politicians. But the lessons we choose to take from his trial, the path we take from here, will shape the future of our country and the lives of our children.

"We" are not the government or the political parties or even the majority of voters. I mean our generation, the young people now preparing to take over. The

baby boomers have made a mess, let's face it. They have (however inadvertently) acted to destroy the country's faith and pride in the ideals and institutions on which it was founded.

We don't believe, anymore, in a government by the people and for the people, a guardian and arbiter existing solely to protect and advance the needs and interests of its people. We believe in money, and corruption, and the "good ol' boys' club." More than anyone else, we on the far edge of youth will bear the consequences of these events, as well as the responsibility to continue this trend or turn the tide.

Interestingly enough, our age group seems to have been largely left out of the current discussion about the "state of the union." We are assumed to be uninterested, apathetic, indifferent to the remote proceedings going on in Washington. And perhaps this is not far off base. I doubt many University students have watched any of the proceedings or even followed along much with the newspaper reports. Which is no wonder—I'll tell you honestly, this trial is monumentally boring. The same speeches, now even more hollow and pathetic than they were at the outset, are repeated over and over for hours.

Nothing new can or will be said at this point. In a sense, we are entirely justified in our impulse to turn our backs on Congress and chant, in the immortal words of the Cameron Crazies, "just doesn't matter."

What happens next, however, does matter. The path our country takes from here is our future, and our opportunity. The decisions we will soon have the chance to make require no knowledge of the legal minutiae or judicial bastardizations being batted back and forth in Washington. They require

only a simple decision: What do we want? We live with our elected government and its effects every day; should it be representative and responsive to our wishes? Does our system of government fit not only the nation's original needs and ideals, but our present situation as well?

I would venture that we are already answering these questions simply by the act of turning our backs on civic life. Not only do young people feel left out of the running of America, but the majority feel completely indifferent to what goes on in Washington. Frankly, the institutions seem to have spun too far out of control, and we have given up hope of reclaiming them. But what we forget is, this country only stays on the road to hell if we drive it there. Sure, we're all voters. But in 20 years, we will also be the junior congressmen, the lobbyists, the media and most importantly, the parents of America. And in 40 years, we will have some view of what we'll be handing over to our children. It's our turn next.

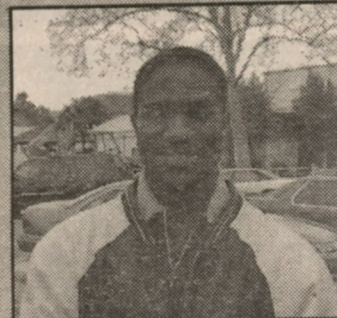
We have the right to be angry at the mess we're being handed. Damn angry. But as long as we remain hopeless, the country is only going to keep barreling along this suicidal path. If our government "by the people, for the people" is no longer, then the choice is ours to change it, or scrap it altogether. We will have the opportunity to turn our disgust with the self-serving bickering and posturing which characterizes that monstrosity in Washington into a positive movement to reclaim our country.

Sometimes, desperate times call for desperate measures. So for anyone else tired of watching this painfully slow death of our republic, consider this your first call to join the revolution.

Question of the week

COMPILED BY JOE DEVERA

Do you think there is enough diversity on campus?



"No. This campus is overwhelmed with a majority that is not a mixture. This is not diversity."

Arthur Jenkins III
Freshman

"No. I don't see enough black people around campus. But it is encouraging to see black people getting their education."

Jovan Williams
Freshman



seeing. I see only two major races and that's it. I know that this campus is overwhelmed with a mixture, that is not a diversity."

Shaun Mims
Sophomore



"Yes. Just go to South Campus and check out the science department."

Maebelle Marasigan
Senior



"I consider myself an island of culture set adrift in this wasteland they call UOP."

Dennis Cheung
1st year Pharmacy



For our view on this topic, see the Editorial on page 5.

Ups and Downs

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Here it is, the next installment, albeit late installment, of the thumbs up thumbs down. Hey, better late than never. This is our attempt to recognize those members of this school that are making changes for the better, as well as those who are not. If you have a suggestion for the Ups and Downs, please e-mail them to opinion@thepacifcan.com.

To the possibility of football at Pacific

For the loss of football in the first place.

To Tim Johnson for his play against Long Beach State.

To the black ooze in the tap water recently.

To a great Career & Job Fair by the C&I office.

To having more Gauchos fans than Tiger fans at womens B-ball.

To Dean Benedetti for hearing the students problems and wanting to make change.

To the tuition hike and technology fee.

To not having Express for two days.

The Weekly Rant

Justice is served and robbed in one week

SCOTT SWITZER
Staff Writer



On Friday, February 12, justice was served and destroyed in two separate cases. In one case, the senate acquitted President Clinton on all charges, and will not remove him from office. In the other case, a Brooklyn jury found 15 of the 25 gun makers named in a lawsuit guilty of making guns readily available to criminals. They found another eight guilty of negligence in providing safety features.

The monetary value of this decision is not as significant as the precedent that is set. The monetary award was only \$500,000. This is not a big deal to the gun industry. As it stands, only one plaintiff was even rewarded. However, right now there are several other cases in which cities and municipalities have filed suit against gun makers, and this case increases the chance that

these cases will be won, for substantial amounts of money.

The claim in the Brooklyn case was that gun makers knowingly shipped an excessive amount of guns to several southern states where gun laws are somewhat lax, and in turn these guns were shipped north and resold illegally. If this is the case, and these

claims are true, then the gun makers do deserve to receive some repercussions. The only question that should be raised by this scenario is what punishment and actions will these states receive? If these alleged actions are to be stopped, why not go straight to the reason, overly loose standards and laws for gun control in these states.

I am in no way advocating that this country goes crazy over gun control, as it has tried in the past. What would

be refreshing is to see all states on the same page as far as gun control. National law requires a minimum five day waiting period in all states when purchasing a fire arm. This period is to provide time for a background check, which can actually be done immediately through a computer service in most areas and stores now.

Even though there is a required wait of five days, California requires a fifteen day wait. If we could bring states together, rather than have this

large discrepancy, we would not have as many problems with claims such as the ones in this trial.

Currently there are several other law suits trying to find gun makers responsible for street crime when one of their guns was used. This is not going to work. If we were to make all businesses and orga-

nizations responsible for how there products are used, there would be no end to these frivolous law suits. Make no mistake, these are all frivolous law suits.

The next time someone drives drunk and kills another driver with their Dodge Ram truck, are we going to sue Dodge. The next time someone bombs a federal building with a homemade bomb, do we sue the fertilizer plant where the ingredients were stolen from. There are many other scenarios, including the fact that the Buffalo Bills would not be in the NFL today. They would have been shut down in the early nineties, after their manufactured item, O.J. Simpson, killed two people.

The bottom line is not that we should not point the finger in these incidences, but we just need to make sure the finger isn't going through nervous fits and pointing at everybody and everything. Blame should be assumed by the parties directly responsible, and no others.

"If we were to make all businesses and organizations responsible for how their products are used, there would be no end to these frivolous law suits."

Coed frats will be a huge mistake

The Daily Athenaeum

(U-WIRE) MORGANTOWN, W.V. — With the many new policies and mandates affecting the college greek system in America, one might think that colleges are trying to get rid of the system entirely. A recent decision at Dartmouth College just put a laser sight right between its Greek system's eyes.

The fraternities should start accepting women members and the the sororities should admit men, the college has decided.

The trustees and college President James Wright said the decision is intended to encourage "respectful relations between women and men" and is part of a broad overhaul of social life at the Ivy League school.

The changes, which the college hopes to begin implement-

ing next school year, were announced in a letter to students Tuesday.

"The fraternities and sororities as we have known them will be ended," Wright told The Boston Globe. "There has been a sense ... that we needed to take significant steps, and this is a piece of that."

There is only one question that needs to be asked in this situation and it is a big one: Why?

This move was supposedly done to reduce alcohol abuse. But how will that work? Instead of just men or just women sitting around and drinking, men and women will sit around and drink together.

There is absolutely no reason at all for this move to happen. Most likely it will solve nothing, and it may cause an even bigger dilemma.

Dartmouth's decision seems like a thinly-veiled plot to dis-

mantle its greek system. Yes, there are problems with alcohol abuse within the system, but there are problems with alcohol abuse everywhere in college life.

Retooling the system could work. A massive overhaul never will. Hopefully, no other university in the country will adopt this measure. The backlash of such a decision would be too much. University administrations should work with respective Greek systems

to solve their problems. Decisions like Dartmouth's will only create more.

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There is potential in Clinton's school reform plan

ALEX RAWSON
Daily Princetonian

(U-WIRE) PRINCETON, N.J. — President Clinton began the education section of his State of the Union address a month ago with a sobering statistic: while fourth graders test above the global average, by the eighth grade American students are merely on par with the rest of the world, and by twelfth grade they have slipped below average. While this has always been a concern of Clinton's, his new solution took on a wholly different and considerably more aggressive tone.

In some ways, Clinton merely lifted the education section of his 1997 address. He again sought an end to "social promotion," asked for improvements in teacher quality and

training, called for a tougher disciplinary standard in schools and advocated increased school choice via charter schools. But in other ways, Clinton's 1999 proposals reflected the administration's wise realism.

By merely reappropriating existing funds, Clinton avoids the partisan budget conflict that surrounded his previous plan. His new proposal, though, is truly groundbreaking: hold all public school systems accountable by withholding funding from states or districts that do not perform. Clinton would require that states improve their worst schools or shut them down.

Former Tennessee Gov. Lamar Alexander, again a candidate for the Republican nomination, disagrees. He argues,

"The president has proposed a national school board. But we should go in exactly the opposite direction, liberating the schools, not regulating them. We should send the money to parents and let them choose where their children attend school."

There are two problems with this argument. If parents are given limited choices of public school districts, the schools would divide into tiers and become much more like private schools. At the same time, the federal government does not have nearly enough money to subsidize a private school education for the majority of students, and to do that for only a few students is not fair.

The only possible alternative is to pay for children to attend charter schools, but those are

relatively new and thus untested. It seems rash to put all of our resources into charter schools until we have some indicator of their effectiveness. Thus, Clinton's program is the only viable option currently on the table.

And yet, maybe the concern should be that the conventional solutions overlook the root of the problem. Maybe the problem has less to do with efforts in each school than it does with socio-economic differences among students. The worst public schools seem to serve the poorest areas. Thus the typical conclusion is to feed more money into the system to reverse the problems district poverty creates.

If this conclusion is true, then both Clinton's program and Alexander's alternative work

in the right direction. But maybe the problem, though more basic, is much more difficult to solve. Maybe, as Clinton suggested in his 1997 State of the Union address, poverty is the problem because it creates a less healthy home environment. And if school performance is entirely a social problem, no government can hope to fix it without allowing time for its programs to work.

But this extreme analysis is only for the sake of example. The dilemma of educating everyone equally is likely caused by a combination of poor school quality and socio-economic trends. Fixing one of these problems, even if through federal intervention, may help in the long run to resolve the other. So perhaps Clinton's is right after all.

The cost of some campus retailers too high

JOSEPH DE VERA
Staff Writer

While talking with several people on campus, I noticed a pattern in conversation. When the topic of the UOP Bookstore came up, a few students mentioned how they were being overcharged at the UOP Bookstore or how the bookstore charged them for different items than what they purchased.

The UOP Bookstore, grocery store, and the copy center are three places on campus where students feel that they are being overcharged for what they buy. In addition to the cost of tuition rising, stu-

dents have been spending more and more each year.

Students who purchased their Ethernet card from the bookstore spent over \$60, but other students purchased their cards from the Internet for only \$30.

Not only does the bookstore charge twice as much, but also other universities supply the Ethernet cards for free. Another cost that relates to this upgrade in the residence halls is next year's technology fee added to the cost of room and board. This fee pays for the installment of the new Centrix system on campus for the student's convenience using their phone. Still, this added benefit

should be free of charge. Moreover, students are wondering about the costs of their long distance calls.

Tiger's Grocery has fairly decent prices on some of their goods, but the prices of their other goods are ridiculously high, especially with their soups, can goods, and baking mixes.

The Copy Center is another place that students complain about often. Indeed, the copy center offers students many options and services, but again, the prices are extremely high. I've never really seen too many students go to the Copy Center, but there are always UOP students at Kinkos.

Students are already stressed about the increase in tuition and the extra fees added to their bill. There are so many loans that a student can take out and other students are worried about their work

study running out. Students are here to learn, not learn how to pay. Maybe people need to understand that no dollar amount can measure our value of education or desire to accomplish great things.

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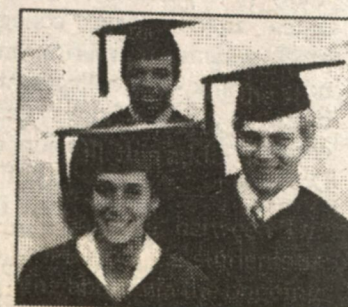
woman in Boston, who later became his wife and confidant. In 1955, he was awarded his Ph.D. from Boston University. Today, racism, sexism and classism continue to impact colleges nationwide. It is partly up to students and officials on this campus to turn these negatives into motivation and positive reinforcement for the next century.

The bonding between Dr. King and today's students is coming about via the ongoing de-mystification of this great world teacher-preacher cut in the mold of Dr. Benjamin Mays. Dr. King, the dreamer, may be a pretty tough act for young people to follow, but Dr. King, the college student and doer, may touch more scholars - students and faculty - during this crucial time in history.

And besides, did you know that Martin Luther King, Jr.

once made a "D" at Morehouse College? During his junior year in 1946-47, he made that grade in Intermediate French. Of course, in that same semester, he also made an "A" in his Bible course. The staff of the Pacifican encourages the entire campus community at our Stockton, Sacramento and San Francisco campuses to join with us in making this last Black History Month of the 20th Century a memorable one.

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Go inside the "Dream"

LINDSAY GRIMES
Staff Writer

This Friday, the UOP production of Shakespeare's *A Midsummer's Night Dream* will premier.

Andrea Slaman stated it best when she described her role and effort in this spring production as "... really challenging. I have learned so much about myself as an actress and working on stage with other actors. It's been so creative and required so much energy!" The show is incredibly physical, with acrobatics and dancing.

Meg Wynstra, the actress playing Helena believes her character to be "very sexually charged. She will do anything and go anywhere to get with Demetrius."

This version of Shakespeare's four hundred year old dream is a visual

kaleidoscope, ranging from the witless mechanicals to the ethereal fairy kingdom.

The set is lavish and the costumes, though utterly appropriate to each character, are outrageous. Debbie Rivera and many other cast members agree that the costumes are perfect for each character. Her director, Jeffrey Ingram wanted Rivera to be the dominatrix sort. The costume appealed to her because "... I had no idea what kind of character Hyppolyta was. It is easier in costume, I am not self conscious about acting like her."

David Hicks, known as Puck in the play, shared his intensity about the play. "I've never worn this little on stage or in front of anyone...we couldn't have gotten her without risk."

The characters and the setting will storm the stage because of Ingram's directing

style and the ability of the actors.

Demetrius, played by Kevin Kaddi expressed what he felt about the learning experience he received during this production. "It's a real challenge because the show demands 100% physical commitment every time you are on stage."

Joseph Galliano was featured in character as Oberon on the posters around the UOP campus. "You learn patience, true teamwork," said the actor.

A consensus of cast members in this production agree "when the curtain closes, you've learned a little more about yourself, about life."

Step inside the Shakespearean dream and let the characters take you somewhere you have never been. Opening night is tomorrow.

Call 946-2UOP for ticket information.

Prof is the 'Toothpick King'

RANDI KAY STEPHENS
Metro Editor

Joe King thrives on life's adventures and seeks with passion to interrupt the routine of normalcy that many people actually hope to achieve.

This engineering professor has lived in three different countries, crashed motorcycles and has appeared on The Tonight Show with Johnny Carson.

His body is awaiting the next shot of energy that will boost off his adrenaline. His mind is sizzling with notions, and his heart is ready for a thrill.

It suits King best to claim his knack for defying death and receiving glory come from "a lack of attention."

King is known internationally for his work as a professor, author, and of course for his ingenuity with toothpicks.

He has received letters from around the world. People that he has never met send him clippings and photos where King appears with his "structures."

During his early 20's King began his infatuation with those little peices of wood that most people use after eating a bowl of popcorn. King's creations include a NASA symbol, an Eiffel Tower replica, and in the near future King hopes to produce a copy of the Statue of Liberty.

When this professor is not hoarding glue or writing a book he teaches computer programming, computer digital design and communications as well as mentor three. King has also taken his skills abroad. He has lived in Africa, Singapore, Finland, and Finland.

Moving more than 30 times



King and 1,000 pounds of bricks stand upon one of his many structures.

in his life has not been that difficult for King. He looks forward to the next adventure. He is consistent when it comes to changing his routine, but it has taken its toll on his family.

Throughout a five year period, King's wife and children watched television programs through the base of the toothpick Eiffel Tower.

King's daughter and ASUOP's Vice-President, Dare, spoke to a local Stockton television crew about her situation. "I just wanna watch TV!" said the father imitating

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Expanding world views

BUD SWANSON
Guest Writer

Assistant Professor of the Communications Department at UOP.

Part 1 meets Friday, February 26, 4-10 p.m., and Saturday, March 6, 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Part 2 will meet Friday, March 5, 4-10 p.m. and Saturday March 6, 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. You can receive one extended (elective) unit for each part of the course. Cost per part is \$85, plus a \$3 material fee.

If a specific study of a culture interests you more, consider enrolling in "Southeast Asians in America: Peoples and Cultures." This course includes a geographical and historical overview of the different kinds of Southeast Asians living in California: Cambodians, Vietnamese, Laotians, Hmong and Lao Khmu.

You will learn about the language, customs, food, clothes, folk dances and music of these

groups, along with how to deal with cultural diversity and practice effective communication.

Bophasy Saukam will be teaching this class. Saukam earned her undergraduate and masters degrees here at UOP. She says "Southeast Asians in America" is and educational, informational, and fun course. it's ideal for students, teachers, anyone who wants to know more about their friends, neighbors, or classmates from Camobodia, Vietnam or Laos."

"Southeast Asians in America" will meet Saturday March 6 9 a.m.- 5 p.m. and Sunday March 7, 9 a.m.- 5:30 p.m.

Cost for this one extended education unit is \$109 plus a \$15 class fee.

Call the Lifelong Learning Office at 946-2424 or pick up a Lifelong Learning course catalog at the Registrar's Office or McChonchie Hall.

"Cross Cultural Encounters," a two part course (although both courses are not required), is our first class to focus on cultural studies.

Part 1, "Communicating with Verbal Language" provides participants with an opportunity to study the cultural variables (attitudes, beliefs, values, current life, and speech styles) taht are major sources of communication difficulty among individuals of different cultural backgrounds.

Part 2, "Communicating with Non-verbal Language," studies the non-verbal behavior patterns (body language, space requirements, concepts of time and color) that caue communication difficulty among individuals of different cultural backgrounds.

These courses are taught by Qingwen Dong, Ph.D.,

What to do with your life?

The Career and Internship Center can help

JULIE DAVIS
Guest Writer

You have heard people talk about them. You have seen fliers on campus for them. You have listened to your adviser suggest them. But what are internships, anyway? Academic internships provide you with academic credit and professional job experience related to your major or career direction. Internships give you an opportunity to develop technical skills, communication skills, people skills and interviewing skills. But there are other perks, too.

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There is an exciting opportunity to participate in the California Workstudy Program. If you have financial aid, chances are you have

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COPA tackles school issues

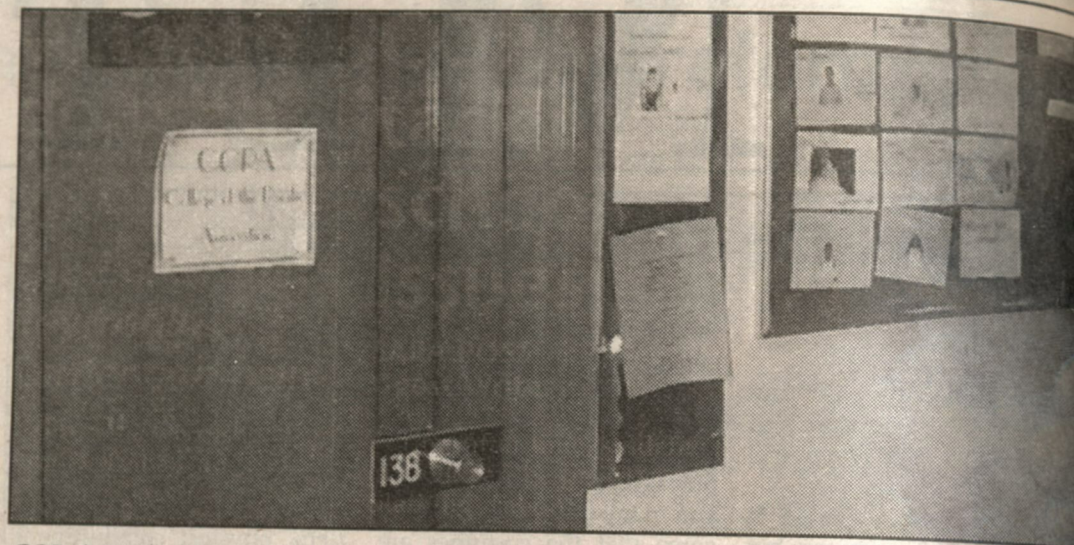
SARA ROSS
Guest Writer

Time after time, students at UOP can be heard complaining about campus issues ranging from unfair university procedures to unsavory dining hall food to incompetent Chemistry teaching assistants.

However, it isn't often that these students actually become involved in their schools to try to fix the problems they see.

The targets school on campus, College of the Pacific, is always open to students interested in becoming involved with issues at UOP.

As of right now, COPA committees are working toward a variety of goals, including the expansion of recycling availabilities, a



COPA's student government office is located in Wendell Phillips Center, room 138.

newsletter describing COPA activities, a thorough evaluation of General Education classes in the College of the Pacific, and the improvement of various policies concerning the Sciences departments.

COPA is sponsoring many workshops throughout the semester featuring guest speakers.

New members are always welcome, and there are many positions available in COPA.

Several positions are open for interested fresh-

man, including one for a representative. COPA is calling students to action.

COPA is working for the students of UOP, so if you have any concerns you would like to see addressed, feel free to speak to any COPA member or attend one of our Monday night meetings held twice a month in WPC at 8:30 p.m.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, February 22 in room 138 of the Wendell Phillips Center.

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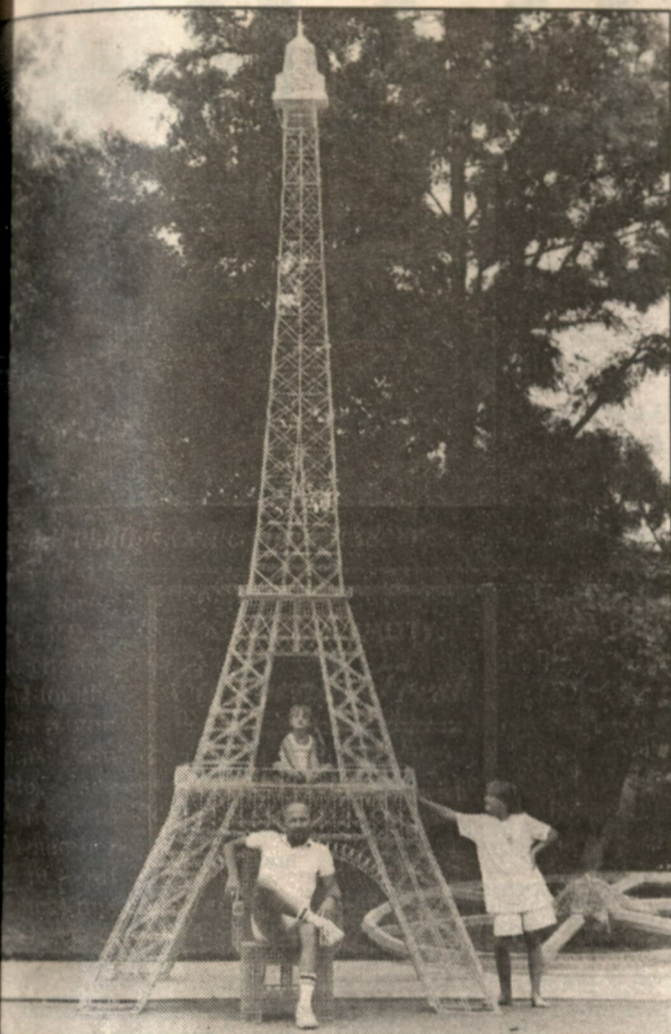
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Joe King's Eiffel Tower can now be found in Hong Kong. Here King and two of his children are pictured.

Toothpick

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his daughter's youthful voice. To defray the cost of building, materials, King called glue and toothpick companies in search of a sponsorship. Ripley's Believe It or Not was persistent about contacting the professor to purchase the Eiffel Tower. King denied offers many times before

finally deciding to sell his work. Currently the Eiffel Tower is located in Hong Kong.

250,000 toothpicks, more than 1,000 hours of labor over five years, and gallons of glue were sold at the bargain price of \$10,000.

King used the money to take his wife on a trip to Hawaii. It was his show of gratitude to the love of his life and her patience.

available include the San Joaquin County Sheriff's Department, San Joaquin County District Attorney's Office, San Joaquin Delta College Business Development and Delta Keepers. The California Workstudy Program eligibility is based on financial need, and is offered on a first come, first served basis. Contact Kaye Mooney at 946-2273 for additional information.

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Federal Workstudy. California Workstudy operates a little differently. The California Workstudy program provides opportunities for UOP students to work off-campus for one of a variety of agencies in a position related to the student's major or career objectives. A few of the California Workstudy jobs currently

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Alpha Kappa Lambda

Congratulations to our new pledges and to all who joined the Greek community. Good Luck during pledging. On another note, AKL's "Big Bang III" is going to take place on Friday, February 26. T-shirts will be sold at the McCaffrey Center and at Elbert Covell in the evenings. Everyone is more than welcome to stop by anytime.

Alpha Kappa Phi

The men of Alpha Kappa Phi want to congratulate all of the rushees who signed a formal bid to our house. This group of men made the right decision and they can formally call themselves Archite Pledges. The Brotherhood made the best of the rainy Bid Day partying with the Sweethearts and the new pledge class. Fraternity row may be quite

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right now, but not for long. The Brotherhood of Archania is fired up about the new pledge class and can not wait for the to finish pledging. One this is accomplished, they will be known as Archites for life.

Delta Delta Delta

Our newest members of Tri Delta enjoyed their pledge retreat last weekend. The ladies enjoyed being together away from UOP. Big Sis revelation was so special. Tri Delta becomes stronger every day because of our new members and all of the enthusiasm they bring into our house.

Phi Alpha Delta

Phi Alpha Delta, the pre-law fraternity, is sponsoring a pizza and ice cream social with Dr. Ostberg of the political science department. Dr. Ostberg will speak about law school

admission, and tips for taking the LSAT. Everyone is welcome to attend this social on Thursday, February 18 at noon in WPC 202.

Pi Kappa Alpha

We would like to congratulate all of the other fraternities on campus for another successful rush. Everyone walked away a winner this semester. We would also like to congratulate our fifteen new pledges. This group of men, Eta Class, is definitely the best and the brightest at UOP. The men of Pi Kappa Alpha are looking forward to another great semester. We hope to have the highest GPA on campus again, as well as possibly getting another Intramural Championship under our belt. We will be fielding a team for each sport offered, and we look forward to seeing you out there.

Scholarships for singers

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The 29th annual Henry and Maria Holt Scholarship auditions will be held on Sunday April 18, 1999 at Foothill College in Los Altos Hills, CA.

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The competition is open to California singers between the ages of 18 and 26 who are interested in pursuing an operatic career. The program was established in 1970 in memory of Henry Holt.

Since its inception, more than 800 young singers have participated in the auditions, and many winners have continued on to successful careers in opera.

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Men's Basketball with CSU Fullerton 7:00 pm call 946-2UOP for tickets Spanos Center Reception of mixed media artists 7:00 pm Art Center Room 105	Black History Month Reggae Party 8:00 pm- 12:00 am Commons Room University Symphony Orchestra 8:00 pm call 946-2UOP for tickets Faye Spanos Concert Hall	Theatre Arts Department presents "A Midsummer Night's Dream" 8:00 pm call 946-2UOP for tickets Long Theatre Black History Month "Orientation to Law School"	McGeorge Law School Location TBA Men's tennis with St. Mary's College 1:00 pm Nelson Tennis Courts Men's Basketball with UC Irvine 7:00 pm call 946-2UOP for tickets Spanos Center Theatre Arts Department presents "A Midsummer Night's Dream" 8:00 pm call 946-2UOP for tickets Long Theatre Morris Chapel services 9:30 am Catholic Mass

Stockton symphony features Rex Cooper, international pianist and Pacific professor

The Pacifican

Rex Cooper, professor of piano at the Pacific Conservatory of Music, will bring the combination of local talent and international performer as guest soloist with the Stockton Symphony, under the direction of Peter Jaffe, on March 3 and 4. Cooper will perform Beethoven's "Piano Concerto No. 4 in G major" at the 8:00 p.m. performances. The Orchestra will also perform Bedrich Smetana's "The Moldau", the vivid evocation of a mighty Czech river and

always an audience favorite. The program closes with Paul Hindemith's dramatic music "Mathis der Maler," based upon the life of Renaissance painter Matthias Gruneval.

Cooper, a native of North Carolina, received his undergraduate degree in piano performance from Oberlin College. He continued his studies at the Academia Chigana in Siena, Italy before attending the Julliard School in New York. While in New York, he was personally selected by Leopold Stokowski to be the pianist for the American

Symphony where he worked extensively with conductors such as Yehudi Menuhin and Jascha Horenstein.

In 1972, Mr. Cooper pursued his doctorate degree at the Peabody Conservatory of Music and the following year was sponsored for a tour of Japan by the Yamaha Corporation. This tour included recitals in Osaka, Sapporo and Tokyo. While in Japan he also conducted master classes and recorded a program for NHK broadcasting company.

Shortly after the Japan tour, Cooper began teaching at

University of the Pacific before taking a leave-of-absence to finish his doctorate at Indiana University.

Cooper is once again professor of piano at Pacific, but has performed as a recitalist, chamber musician, soloist with orchestra and accompanist throughout the United States,

and in Japan, England, France and Italy.

Tickets are available at the Stockton Symphony office, 1151 W. Robinhood, Suite 100, Stockton, Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. (209) 951-0196, or at Atherton Auditorium office, (209) 954-5110

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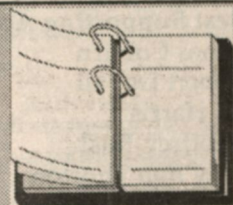
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9) Does anybody
remember where we
left the playbook?

8) Is James Van Der
Beek available?

7) Let's not bother
recruiting individuals,
we will just take the
Raiders.

6) What are the odds
we can change NCAA
rules to spot us 20
points for each
game?

5) Hey, does this
mean the football
stadium will have
football?

4) I hear Kerry
Collins will be
looking for a job.

3) Nebraska, Miami,
Florida St., those are
good first three
games.

2) I heard Lincoln
High's powder puff
team was looking for
a game.

1) Hey, does Craig
Whelihan have any
eligibility left?

Compiled by
Scott Switzer



We are not the only ones in perpetual awe of the beauty of the UOP campus. Last Friday, we graciously allowed some local merchants to utilize our scenic facilities (the front of Anderson Hall) to advertise their wares.

"And the nominees are..."

LINDSAY GRIMES
Staff Writer

On February 9 at 5:38 a.m. PST, Academy Award-winning actor Kevin Spacey and Academy President Robert Rehme announced this year's much anticipated Academy Awards nominees.

At last year's awards Jack Nicholson took home the Best Actor award for his hilarious performance in *As Good As It Gets*. This year the choices are Roberto Benigni (*Life is Beautiful*), Tom Hanks (*Saving Private Ryan*), Ian McKellen (*Gods and Monsters*), Nick Nolte (*Affliction*), and Edward Norton (*American History X*).

This year's tears and smiles for Best Actress will belong to one of these five wonderful actresses: Kate Blanchett (*Elizabeth*), Fernanda Montenegro (*Central Station*), Gwyneth Paltrow (*Shakespeare in Love*), Meryl Streep (*One True Thing*), and Hilary Watson (*Hilary and Jackie*).

The 71st annual Academy Awards airs Sunday, March 21 [5:30 p.m. PST] and will be hosted by (who else) Whoopi Goldberg. One half hour before the show begins, the official Academy half-hour national Oscar Preview Show, hosted by actress Geena Davis, will air for the first time ever. Ultimately, the Academy (as in "i'd like to thank the members of...") chooses who gets to keep the Oscar, but we're interested in your predictions! And the winner is....e-mail your predictions to us up until March 20 at PacPredictions@hotmail.com. A few of the remaining category nominations are listed below for voting. After the show we'll print your predictions alongside the real winners.

Best Picture:
Elizabeth
Life Is Beautiful
Saving Private Ryan
Shakespeare in Love
The Thin Red Line

Best Supporting Actor:
James Coburn
Robert Duvall
Ed Harris
Geoffrey Rush
Billy Bob Thornton

Best Supporting Actress:
Kathy Bates
Brenda Blethyn
Judi Dench
Rachel Griffiths
Lynn Redgrave

Art Direction:
Elizabeth
Pleasantville
Saving Private Ryan
Shakespeare in Love
What Dreams May Come

Foreign language film:
Central Station
Children of Heaven
The Grandfather
Life Is Beautiful
Tango

Screenplay - Original:
Bulworth
Life Is Beautiful
Saving Private Ryan
Shakespeare in Love
The Truman Show

"You Got Girl!"

MELISSA DURKIN
Staff Writer

"How Stella Got Her
Groove Back"

- Romance/ Comedy
Drama

Starring: Angela Bassett,
Taye Diggs, Whoopi
Goldberg, Regina King,
Suzanne Douglas, and
Michael J. Pagan.

Directed by: Kevin
Rodney Sullivan.

Rated: R

Duration: 124 minutes

Rating: ★★★★★

Sleek and seductive, McMillan's novel *Stella Got Her Groove Back* emerges on the screen as an eye-pleasing, emotion-ring, and intellectually voking movie. And although Valentine's Day has passed, it's a great vid-rent with a sweetheart. It stimulates the eye, the and the mind. It's a great story.

But, it's also about a female. Although you not have a high-powered, a fancy wardrobe, or a beautiful home like Stella (Bassett), you can identify with her drive for independence, and her letting her emotions go.

Stella is a San Francisco-based stock broker who is overwhelmed by the stress of her job, her son whom she raises alone, and her mental sisters—takes a spontaneous trip to the beautiful island of Jamaica. Her friend Delilah (Goldberg) goes with her.

The tropical getaway is what Stella needs. She relaxes in the warmth of Jamaican atmosphere. In particular, she soaks up the attention of a sexy and sensitive 20-year-old Jamaican, Winston Shakespeare (Diggs). To his age, Stella can't believe that she pursues a romance.

See Stella, page 18.

Still good food

COLLY CACCIAPAGLIA
Staff Writer

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Stockton Joe's moved from Arch Lane to their new location in November of '97. On account that I had been to the restaurant since they were at their old location, my friends and I decided to give it a try. Upon entering, I was pleased with the atmosphere. It didn't seem as dark as I remembered the old restaurant being. The five of us were seated in a roomy half-circle booth and given bread and butter.

The grilled rainbow trout special caught my attention so I decided to order that. My four companions ordered the half-broiled chicken (\$8.95), Italian Swiss steak (\$8.50), roast beef (\$10.50), and pot roast (\$10.25).

The meals came with a choice of french fries, mixed vegetables, garlic mashed potatoes, spaghetti, or ravioli. You can add a cup of soup or side salad to your meal for an extra two bucks. We all did this, I'm not sure if I'd do it again. The salads didn't impress me.

We were all satisfied with our dinners and they seemed to be just the right amount of food. With our wine, bread and salad, we were each still able to finish off our entire meal, without feeling too stuffed afterwards. I will add Stockton Joe's to my list of restaurants I'd like to revisit.

Profile: Lady Day vocalizes

IKRAM KHASIM
Staff Writer

Her phrasing was different; she brought lyrics to even the most inane words and made them her own. Her timing was different; she sang just a little behind the beat. Her voice was different; she used it like an instrument. She was different. She was Billie Holiday, the first lady of Jazz.

No one has even come close to describing her style, much less imitate her. She didn't have the vocal qualities of Ella Fitzgerald or Sarah Vaughan, and her range wasn't great—"It just goes up a bit and comes down a little bit," she said about her voice. Singing like her idols, Bessie Smith and Louis Armstrong, she said she wanted their kind of feeling in her songs. She did feel her music:

she sang every word like she lived through them. It's hard not to feel something when she sings. Her honesty about feeling was what made people cry. She found it very difficult to lie.

Billie Holiday was born Eleanora Fagan on April 7, 1915 in Baltimore. Her interest in Jazz began when she first heard recordings by

Louis Armstrong and Bessie Smith while scrubbing flights of marble steps around her neighborhood. Billie landed her first singing job at the Log Cabin, after proving to the owner that she couldn't dance. She was paid eighteen dollars a week and sang from midnight to 3:00 a.m. every night. The first thing she did with her tips on the first night was buy a sandwich: she hadn't eaten in twenty-four

hours. She changed her name to Billie (after the movie star Billie Dove) and took her father's last name. Lester Young later dubbed her "Lady Day." Her first recording session began in 1933 with Benny Goodman. She then worked with Teddy Wilson and the Count Basie orchestra. When Artie Shaw offered Billie a job with his

band, she was becoming a star. But Billie left the band when she was asked to use the service elevator, because the guests had complained about the hotel "taking colored." That was the thing about being a black celebrity—she was a star on stage, but offstage a black person subject to society's cruelty.

In 1947, Billie was arrested on a drug charge and served eight months in prison. When she got out, she was banned from clubs and cabarets. She had no other place to perform, but had some illegal dates and gave an exceptional performance in Carnegie Hall. Her addiction to alcohol and heroin began to deteriorate the quality of her voice in her later recordings, which most critics, however, regard as her best. In May of 1959, she was hospitalized for liver and heart ailments. She was arrested while in her hospital bed—allegedly for possessing heroin.

"To live longer than forty years is indecent, banal, immoral!" said Dostoevsky's Underground Man, and Billie Holiday offended by only four years. After singing for a brief twenty-five years, she died on July 17, 1959.



Billie Holiday: Lady sings the blues.

A&E WEB NAVIGATOR

IKRAM KHASIM
Staff Writer

Want to know what's hip on the web? Here are online editions of some of the most popular magazines for Black history month:

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Stella

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ing with Winston. When the vacation comes to an end and Stella returns to the Bay Area, she realizes that the trip has turned into something more. After she loses her job, Stella gets back on a plane, this time with her son and niece, to visit Winston. He returns home with her upon a tragic event in Stella's life. The rest of the film deals with the disapproval of Stella and Winston's relationship. Stella's family and friends, even her own doubts, chal-

lenge the unconventional couple to find the courage to stay together. Stella must learn to accept Cocoa Puffs in bed and Winston must deal with Stella's controlling nature. The clear conflict: Will their relationship survive?

This film, from the beginning, is glossy and sensual. The people and the Jamaican scenery form a visual splendor. Bassett has the attitude and the body to play the vibrant character of Stella. She successfully portrays the tough, but disquieted, female protagonist. Diggs is also likable. I enjoyed his innocent, yet mature, perfor-

mance, not to mention his steamy style. Goldberg provides appropriate comic relief and some dramatic content. As for the rest of the cast, they come together to create sassy, lively entertainment.

"How Stella Got Her Groove Back" is somewhat predictable, slow in parts, and long, but it deals with an interesting, atypical topic: mature woman together with young man. Don't think, however, that Stella gets her groove back from a man, but rather from breaking the rules and letting herself go free. Stella rediscovers the part of her that got lost

underneath her business suits with the help of Winston. "How Stella Got Her Groove Back" is an empowering female flick and I say, "Stella, you go girl!"

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ALEX ZAMANSKY
News Editor

I have to hand it to the Stockton P.D., they are really on top of the situation here in Stockton. Besides maintaining law and order, one officer took the time to pull me over and inform me that I had a headlight problem and that for ten bucks I could fix it rather easily. I assured him that this would be taken care of and that the vehicle he had stopped me on, my bicycle, would be that much safer to ride. Thumbs up to the Stockton P.D. for taking the time to notice the "little things" that are really important.

Word on the streets of Stockton says that the latest trends in fashion for women when ice skating are long dresses and bonnets. At least that's what I saw when I went ice skating the other night. I was almost run down by a fierce-looking lady who seemed intent on circling the rink at warp speeds. Amazingly, I was able to withstand these near kamikazi attacks by making myself fall first or reaching out and yanking some unsuspecting ten year old to shield myself. In the end, the only marking I attained from all this was on my hand. In an odd light it reminded me of a penguin.

A recent debate on which candy tasted better went on. The battle was between junior mints (go figure) and peppermint patties. In the end, the mints won out because of their high content of good taste and original flavor. The peppermint pattie, while still a mimic of the mint, had the good fortune of coming in "second."

Horoscopes

Aquarius

(January 20 to February 18) There's a need to watch expenditures now. A little bit here, a little bit there, and before you know it, you may have spent quite a sum.

Gemini

(May 21 to June 20) Put aside any plans of getting a lot of work accomplished this week. There will be just too many demands on your time elsewhere. Keep stress to a minimum and relax.

Libra

(September 23 to October 22) Some work developments from last week are still on your mind, but it's best now to devote your time and energy to non-material concerns. Don't be critical.

Pisces

(February 19 to March 20) This is just not the time to get your thoughts across to others. Misunderstandings could easily arise over both career and financial concerns. A friend too is fickle.

Cancer

(June 21 to July 22) There's no point in stating a criticism and then withdrawing into yourself. Keep the lines of communication open and give others the benefit of the doubt.

Scorpio

(October 23 to November 21) There seems to be a lot of loose ends to tackle now and you may not have as much time for socializing as you would like to have.

Aries

(March 21 to April 19) You seem to be quite involved in other people's lives now. There may not be as much time for family this week as you would prefer. Make a schedule and stick to it.

Leo

(July 23 to August 22) It may be a small issue that arises in connection with money. Try not to let yourself get unduly upset. Keep things in perspective. Clamp a tight lid on credit.

Sagittarius

(November 22 to December 21) A partner's self-preoccupation could leave you feeling left out in the cold this week. Too much concern about little things could frazzle your nerves.

Taurus

(April 20 to May 20) You're exactly in the mood to be alone, but then again you may be too keen about this week's social possibilities. One friend has a pain in the neck.

Virgo

(August 23 to September 22) Strain could exist between in-law and a family member this week. Home demands will press on you and may delay plans for travel.

Capricorn

(December 22 to January 19) Your offhanded manner could be so casual that others are left with the impression you don't care. Keep a safeguard on credit.

Soap Opera Updates

All My Children

Ryan awoke in the hospital and as Gillian recounted the events of the past few weeks, he asked her to leave. Later, Jack ordered her to stay away from Ryan. Dixie accepted Tad's proposal. Braden needs Tad's help to destroy Kit.

Days of Our Lives

Carrie begged Austin to give himself up to the police. Marlena hypnotized John, who had a memory of dancing with Gina. Later, John wondered what Gina really meant to him. Lucas is about to learn more about Nicole.

General Hospital

After Alexis told her Nikolas is not longer the Cassadine heir, Helena assured him she is not a threat to him. However, Laura remained fearful of what Helena might do to Nikolas. Laura confronts Luke about their future.

The Young and the Restless

Nick feared he may be losing Sharon to Tony. Colton demanded answers from Ashley about her activities and Rafael's place in his life. Wait to see: Chrissy finds a clue about Alice.

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ball

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Portmann commented that the team remained as positive and supportive as ever, something easily seen on the floor at the games.

On Thursday the Tigers swept UC Santa Barbara in a 12-15, 10-15, 8-15 defeat at the Hansen Center. Vladimir Andric was the cornerstone of the Tiger attack with 23 kills and a .512 hitting percentage.

Another strong force on the court was J.D. Brosnan who posted a .571 hitting percentage. Dylan Herrick and Tim Benson worked hard posting 17 and 16 kills respectively. The Tiger defense was really on its toes with three members each posting 10 or more digs.

The Gauchos attempted to answer Pacific's game with Devin Collins killing 26 for Santa Barbara and David Kohl with a .412 hitting percentage. It was to no avail, however, as the Tigers dominated all three games.

When questioned on the team's strategy coach Portmann responded, "We had a great defense...we wore them down...we were the better team."



J.D. Brosnan takes a set from Dan Fisher in Thursday's game.

On Saturday the Tigers traveled, but not far. They defeated Cal State Northridge in a 11-15, 15-7, 15-8, 15-7 match at Joe Blanchard Gym at Delta Junior College. After losing a competitive first game the Tigers rallied to take the next three.

As with the previous game, Andric led the Tigers with 20 kills and a hitting percentage of .486. Herrick and Darrell

Dilmore defended the net with 17 and 16 kills respectively.

Brosnan again led Pacific with a .571 hitting percentage.

The Matadors' game was mobilized behind Steve Russell with an impressive hitting percentage of .714.

Pacific (4-3) hits the road facing Pepperdine today and Loyola Marymount on Saturday.

Tennis

Men fall to Poly, women to Stanford

THE PACIFICAN

The Pacific men's tennis team suffered a 4-3 loss to Cal Poly on Monday, Feb. 14 at the Hal Nelson Tennis Center. The loss drops the Tigers to 2-3 overall this season.

Pacific started off the dual match by earning the doubles point after winning two of the three matches. Senior Alexander Fiedler and freshman Dietrich Haug defeated the Cal Poly tandem of Tony Piccata and Sevan Zenopian in a 9-8 (5) decision at the No. 1 position.

The senior Tiger duo of Rishi Patel and Kengo Usui improved to 2-1 at the No. 3 doubles spot with a 8-4 victory over Erin Carroll and Greg Levy of Cal Poly.

Fiedler led the team with a straight-set win at the No. 1 position, defeating Brett Masi 6-3, 7-6 (5). Usui rallied back from a 6-3 loss in the first set,

to defeat Zenopian 7-5, 6-2 to close out the match at No. 5 singles.

Junior Niklas Larsson fought a tough three-set battle against David Wermuth at the No. 4 position, but fell short of victory in a 3-6, 6-3, 6-4 decision.

The Tigers return to action on Feb. 20, as Pacific hosts San Francisco at 10 a.m. followed by St. Mary's at 2:30 p.m. Both matches will be held at the Hal Nelson Tennis Center.

The Pacific women's tennis team dropped to 3-4 on the season with a 9-0 loss at No. 5 Stanford on February 11.

The Tigers suffered straight-sets defeats in each of the six singles matches. Pacific also suffered losses in the three doubles matches.

Pacific returns to action on Friday, February 19 as the Tigers host San Jose State at 2:30 p.m. at the Hal Nelson Tennis Center.

Women's Swimming

Swimmers take fourth at Reno meet

THE PACIFICAN

It was that kind of day for the Tigers as they placed fourth out of four teams in Reno last weekend.

Officially, the Tigers lost a lot of dual meets with host Nevada, Oregon State and San Diego State. They finished

with a dual meet record of 5-13 on the season.

Erica Richards and Cari Bertrand were the only Tigers to record top-three finishes as Richards placed second in the 200 free (1:58.66) behind Nevada's Jennifer McCoy and third in the 100 free (:53.26).

Bertrand recorded a second place finish in the 100 breast (1:08.04) finishing only behind Nevada's C. Cottingham. Bertrand took 11th in the 200 breast with a time of 2:36.03. Freshman teammate Jenna Tompkins finished eighth in that event at 2:30.96.

Sophomore Vera Choubabko placed fourth for the Tigers in the 200 backstroke while teammates Libby Anderson and Carmen Dunn finished right behind her in fifth and sixth places respectively.

Junior transfer Cherisse Hughes placed fourth in the 50 free (:25.32) as OSU's A. Higuera finished less than a second in front of her.

Intramural Update

Intramural Basketball Outlook

So far in the Men's AA Division the court has been run by the sharp shooters of the N Gun. Other teams picking up a win in the first week of action were Pi Kappa Alpha, and Phi Delta. Other teams who are off to a fast start in other IM leagues include, Diminished Faculty (Men's A), Phi Delta Chi

(Men's B North), Mad Bombers and Put'em On the Glass (Men's B South), Six Pack Attack (Men's C), Pi Kappa Alpha (Men's Nap A), Too Small Crew (Men's Nap B), and Soccer (Women's). Keep up the strong play.

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Eden Palacio (42) hit for 10 points against UCSB.

Women's B-Ball

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of two-point baskets in the second half, and handing the Tigers their worst beating on the boards this season (48-31).

When the final horn sounded, the Gauchos had escaped with a 76-66 victory, keeping them undefeated (11-0) in Big West play, and dropped the Tigers to 10-12 (6-5 Big West). Despite trouble with turnovers, Ho managed to lead all scorers with 21, hitting five treys for the fourth time this season.

Martha Yarbrough contributed 10 points as did Palacio but it wasn't

enough. The Gauchos' All-Conference sophomore Erin Buescher rained 18 points on the heads of the Tigers and 20 turnovers didn't

"We can run with anybody in the Big West, nobody's unbeatable."

— UOP women's basketball coach Sherri Murrell

help the Orange and Black either.

It's never easy dropping two games to a team in a one week span, but playing

close with a national ranked team shows that "we can run with anybody in the Big West," said Murrell, "nobody's unbeatable."

The Tigers' last road win is this week, in which they will take on Irvine the team tied with Pacific for third in the Big West Western division. But first up Fullerton State, the team with the worst three-point defense in the Big West. That's significant, as Selena Ho has had the second best three-point shooting season in school history thus far and is making a serious run at the record.

Big West Women's Basketball

Eastern Division	Conference		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
North Texas	8	2	16	6
Boise State	7	4	13	10
Idaho	6	5	13	10
Nevada	4	7	9	15
New Mexico State	2	9	5	18

Western Division	Conference		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
UC Santa Barbara	11	0	19	3
Long Beach State	7	4	13	9
Pacific	6	5	10	12
UC Irvine	6	5	10	12
Cal Poly	2	9	8	14
Cal State Fullerton	1	10	3	19

This Week in Sports

Thursday-
Men's Basketball vs. Cal State Fullerton, 7 p.m. (Spanos Center)

Friday-
Women's Tennis vs. San Jose State, 2:30 p.m. (Hal Nelson Tennis Center)

Saturday-
Men's Tennis vs. San Francisco, 10 a.m. & vs. St. Mary's, 2:30 p.m. (Hal

Nelson Tennis Center)

Women's Tennis vs. Santa Clara, 11 a.m. (Hal Nelson Tennis Center)

Men's Basketball vs. UC Irvine, 7 p.m. (Spanos Center)

Athletic events are free to students with UOP ID and valid Spring '99 sticker (available at ASUOP)

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hurt). Friday's 66-54 win over Cal Poly was a positive.

Diamond smacks

Darin Moore has picked up where he left off from last year. He pitched seven innings of two-hit baseball in Pacific's 5-0 blanking of Utah on Friday. Best of all he fanned 13 Utes' batters.

The rest of the series was forgettable as UOP was outscored 25-8 in the remaining three games.

Chopping down the tree

Yesssss! UOP softball has validated themselves. A 3-1 extra-inning win at Stanford is clutch in my book (affectionately titled "How I came to hate the tree"). Apparently, the matchup was supposed to be a doubleheader but the Cardinal

wussed out after an inning spanking. The chopped that tree into firewood.

Not to be outdone

Brandee McArthur pitched 11 strong innings allowing only one run and striking out 13 batters in victory. Now, Mr. Darin Moore can you come up with a no-hitter to match McArthur's feat of last season?

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Men's Basketball

Gauchos' D disturbs UOP's O

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For the second week in a row, UC Santa Barbara used its defense to beat Pacific. Brandon Payton, younger brother of Seattle Sonics guard Ray Allen, led all Gauchos with 10 points and six rebounds as UCSB's collective defense reaffirmed their first place status with a 60-38 victory over Pacific (12-10 overall, 7-5 Big West Conference) was held to a field goal percentage for the game and was behind 32-15 at the half last Saturday. The Tigers had a great outburst against Cal Poly only two minutes earlier, outlasting the Mustangs 94-83 in San Luis Obispo. It was clearly a difference in the story at UCSB's indoor dome on Saturday. For the Tigers, the 38 points were their worst offensive out-

put since a 56-36 loss to California at the Spanos Center in 1983. Senior Jason Williams had 19 points and carried the load with nine boards while teammate Scott Thomason was held to a combined zero points. Even more befuddling was the fact that Thomason scored a career high 25 points against Cal Poly last Thursday.

Gauchos head coach Bob Williams' best asset was his defense as UCSB (11-11, 9-3 Big West) tallied 14 steals for the game and forced 20 Tiger turnovers. Payton led the way with four steals while teammates Derrick Allen and Erick Ashe had three each.

UOP mad bomber Clay McKnight was held to only three points on 1-of-7 shooting by UCSB. He fared better against Cal Poly with 12 points. It would seem the Gauchos

have McKnight's number as they held him to only three points (1-of-10 FGs) one week earlier in their 58-53 OT win.

Tied 46-46 at the half at San Luis Obispo, the Tigers battled for a win against the Cal Poly Mustangs. After trailing 64-62, Williams' two inside baskets put UOP up for good 66-64.

Having a great day from the free throw line, the Tigers knocked down 23-of-29 and shot 51.8 percent from the field. Johnson scored 14 points and a career high five blocks and Williams chipped in 23 points. Home might be more kind to UOP. They face Cal State Fullerton tonight at 7 p.m. and UC Irvine on Saturday at 7 p.m. UOP can control its own destiny as two wins this weekend will clinch their spot in the Big West Conference Tournament.

Big West Men's Basketball

Conference Overall					Conference Overall				
Western Division	W	L	W	L	Eastern Division	W	L	W	L
UC Santa Barbara	9	3	11	11	Boise State	10	2	17	5
Pacific	7	5	12	10	Idaho	9	4	14	9
Long Beach State	7	6	10	13	New Mexico State	8	4	16	9
Cal State Fullerton	6	6	12	10	Utah State	6	6	13	10
Cal Poly	5	7	10	13	Nevada	4	8	8	14
UC Irvine	1	11	5	17	North Texas	1	11	1	21

Baseball

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strikeouts from the Utes before Ed Hernberger took the mound. For his efforts Moore was named Big West Pitcher of the Week. Darin Moore pitched and pretty much shut Utah out. "I said infielder Willie Ramirez. "But on Saturday we came out and spanked." Saturday's doubleheader ended the Tiger's dreams of continuing their sweep over Utah pulled away from

a 1-1 tie to score a mighty seven runs in the third inning.

Utah pitcher Brandon Page secured supremacy by allowing only ten hits and three runs in his nine-inning reign.

"I think Utah played very well, they laid out some nice defensive plays," said Hernberger. "We just had some bad luck. Guys that usually get the job done just didn't do it."

Utah then took the second game of the doubleheader in almost the same manner, grabbing five runs in the ninth inning. Power hitter Walker pitched a struggling

six innings allowing two runs and seven walks.

"Those walks hurt, it didn't work out the way we wanted it to," said Walker. "That's just the way baseball goes sometimes."

The hard luck continued with the final showdown of the series on Sunday resulting in a 2-7 loss for Pacific. Joe LeBel pitched the Valentine's Day massacre allowing nine hits and five runs.

Pacific hopes to put the past behind them this weekend in Phoenix for the Oakland A's tournament with Northwestern University and

Softball

McArthur leads UOP past Stanford

STEVE CABRAL
Staff Writer

Last Saturday Pacific (2-0) faced off with 14th-ranked Stanford (2-1) and battled it out in an eleven-inning pitchers duel.

The Tigers had Senior Brandee McArthur on the mound who appeared to be throwing better each inning, and this was not good news for the Cardinal.

The game remained scoreless until Pacific freshman Tiffany Heilbut singled to third, which enabled McArthur to score and gave the Tigers a 1-0 lead in the top of the ninth. Stanford countered with a rally in the bottom of the ninth, which led to a run of their own.

The run came on a failed squeeze play that brought pinch runner Kelly Yablonski home to tie the game. That was all Pacific allowed that inning and neither team gave up any runs in the tenth to keep the score knotted at 1-1.

Sophomores Erica Reynolds and Angele Alves each scored a run in the 11th inning to give the Tigers a 3-1 lead. The go-ahead run scored off a bunt laid down by Heilbut that was mishandled and allowed Reynolds to come home. Senior Michelle Cordes singled home Alves for the third and final run of the inning.

McArthur finished off the bottom of the eleventh striking out two batters including the final one to get her first win of the season and improve Pacific's record to 2-0.

"Brandee pitched a really great game," said Alves, a sophomore, "and the team was able to win with her success on the mound." McArthur finished the day giving up only one earned run with 13 strikeouts.

Game two of the doubleheader was not cancelled due to rain. The Tigers return to action on Feb. 19-21 as Pacific travels to the UNLV Classic.

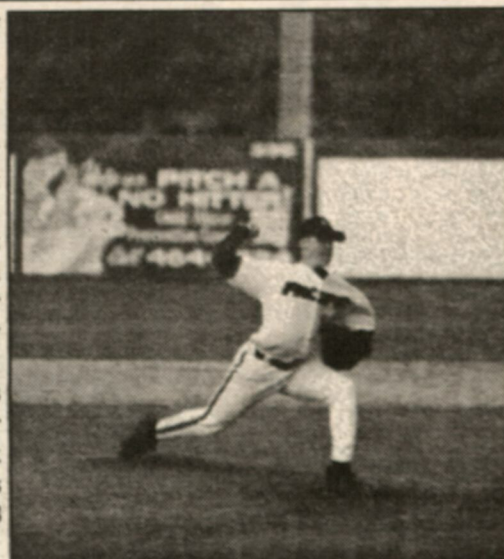
Correction

Last week The Pacifican mentioned that a sophomore catcher went 3-for-3 in the softball press release. It was Erica Reynolds. The Pacifican regrets the error.

the University of Kansas.

"It's a chance to get away and see how other teams are out there," said Walker. "It should be fun and a chance for us to pull a few wins."

The Tigers return home for back-to-back doubleheaders on Feb. 27 and 28 against Portland.



Darin Moore's smoking gun got 13 K's.



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Bring it on!

The wheels are turning and a mob is starting to mobilize. The target date: The UOP women's hoop game on Feb. 25 at 7 p.m. The objective: To get 500 students to attend a UOP sporting event other than men's basketball. The prize: Shaving my head at halftime, if 500 students are in attendance. I say, bring it on!

Poor showing

After smacking Cal Poly 94-83 last Thursday, the UOP men's hoop team could only muster 38 points in an embarrassing rout by UCSB. The Gauchos played tough

defense for the second week in a row holding UOP to only 33 percent from the field and forced 20 turnovers (14 of them steals). Pacific gets 94 points one game and 38 the next? Umm, 38 points is a nice score to have ... at halftime!

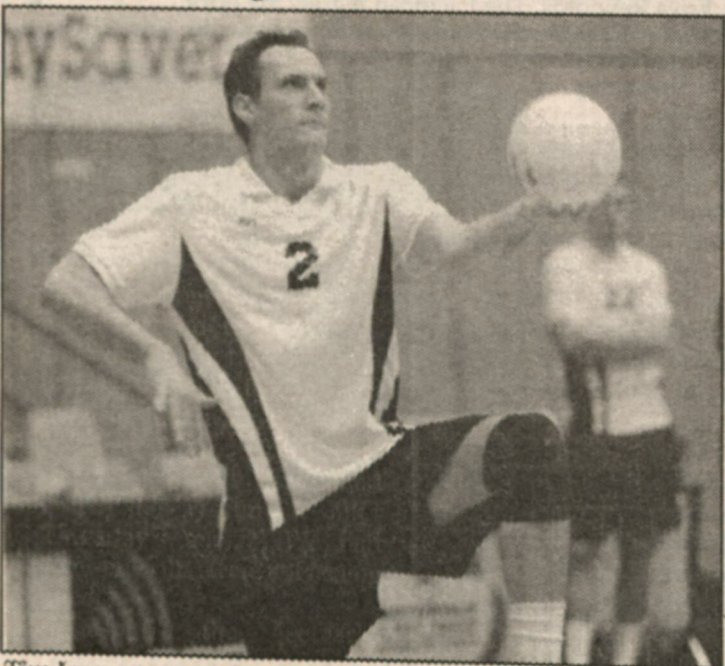
Gauchos again

The women's hoop squad fared slightly better against No. 22 UCSB. The Tigers held a slim lead at the half, 29-27 and then played the second half trying not to lose instead of trying to win. To UOP's credit they hung tough with a premier team. However, they made way too many weak passes down the stretch (20 turnovers

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Men's Volleyball

Tigers put ouch in Gauchos



Tim Jensen prepares to serve up a beauty vs. UC Santa Barbara.

BOBBY LANFRANCO
Staff Writer

Take no prisoners was obviously the mind set for No. 13 UOP as they defeated No. 15 UC Santa Barbara (3-4) last Thursday and Cal State Northridge (1-7) on Saturday.

Coming home after two losses on the road, to No. 9 USC and No. 6 Long Beach State, a win was necessary to keep team momentum moving.

"There was some panic after last week," said UOP head coach Joe Wortmann after Thursday's game, "We had some guys that were not feeling good."

Despite the setbacks

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Baseball

Moore K's stop Utes only once

Utah outscores UOP 25-8 in last 3 games of 4-game series

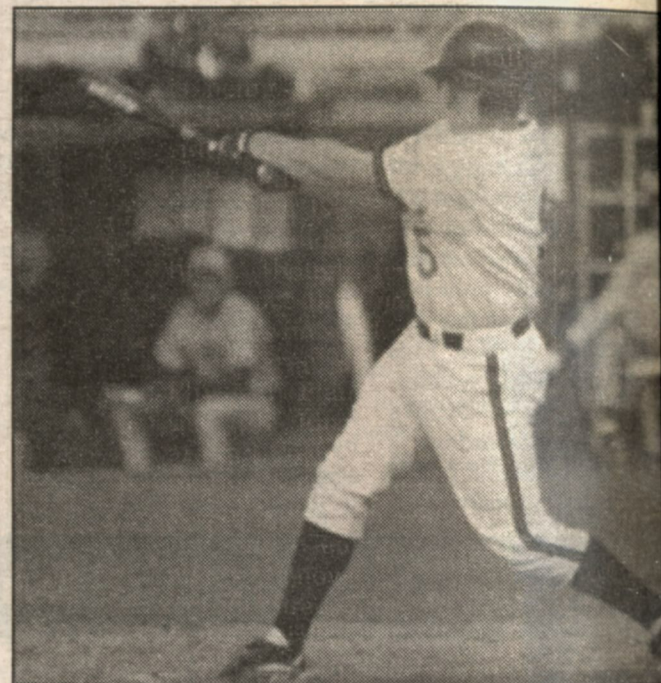
EMILY DAVIDSON
Staff Writer

Billy Hebert Field went from a field of dreams to a field of nightmares as the Tigers faced the University of Utah in a four game series last weekend.

The battle with Utah dropped the Tiger's season to 6-4 with a three loss sweep of 10-3, 8-3, 7-2 on Saturday and Sunday. Pacific took the first game on Friday night in an easy nine innings that led to a 5-0 shut-out.

Rookie players dominated the game with ownership of four of the five runs. Freshman Richard Hackett posted two while classmates' Travis Anderson and Jason Walker swept the bases for the Tigers adding two more runs to the win.

Jason Walker's soaring hit past right field in the fourth inning of the game was the season's first home run for the



Tiger catcher Bryce Terveen takes a big cut at Billy Hebert.

team and his first as a Tiger.

"I saw a pitch I could hit and I just swung and hit it," said Walker. "I thought it was going to hit the traps or foul. I don't hit home runs. I am not a

home run hitter."

Junior Darin pitched a strong game seven innings allowing two hits and firing the

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Women's Basketball

Deja Vu for Tigers

JOSH MONTERO
Staff Writer

Like "Groundhog Day," this week's womens' basketball games were eerily similar to last week's.

Last week started a bit sloppy against Cal Poly. This time the game was at home, and was certainly not any better.

The Tigers took the contest 66-54, despite a .306 (19-62) shooting performance. For the Tigers, Selena Ho tied career highs with 24 points and eight boards, while Eden Palacio pulled in six boards, tallied three blocks and hit for 23 points of her own. Amanda

Svensson came strong to the bench to grab six boards in 13 minutes.

Last week, the Tigers played UC Santa Barbara and led by five at half. This week they played the same and took a point lead into the break.

Last week the Gauchos blew up for a 20-6 run to start the second half. This week it was a 21-10 run to start the second half.

The Tigers held Gauchos to season low assists (12), field goals attempted (51), first points (27), and total points (66). However, Gauchos returned the favors, allowing only a

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